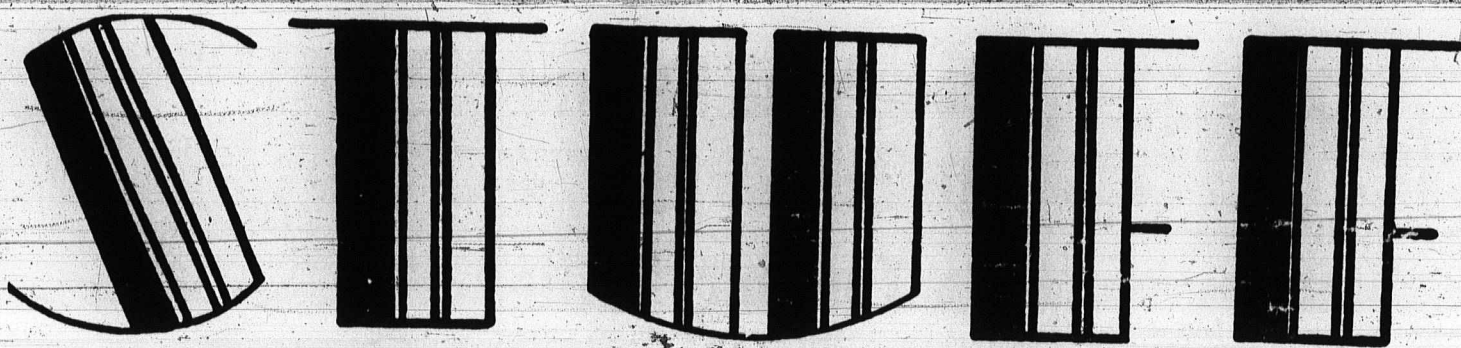


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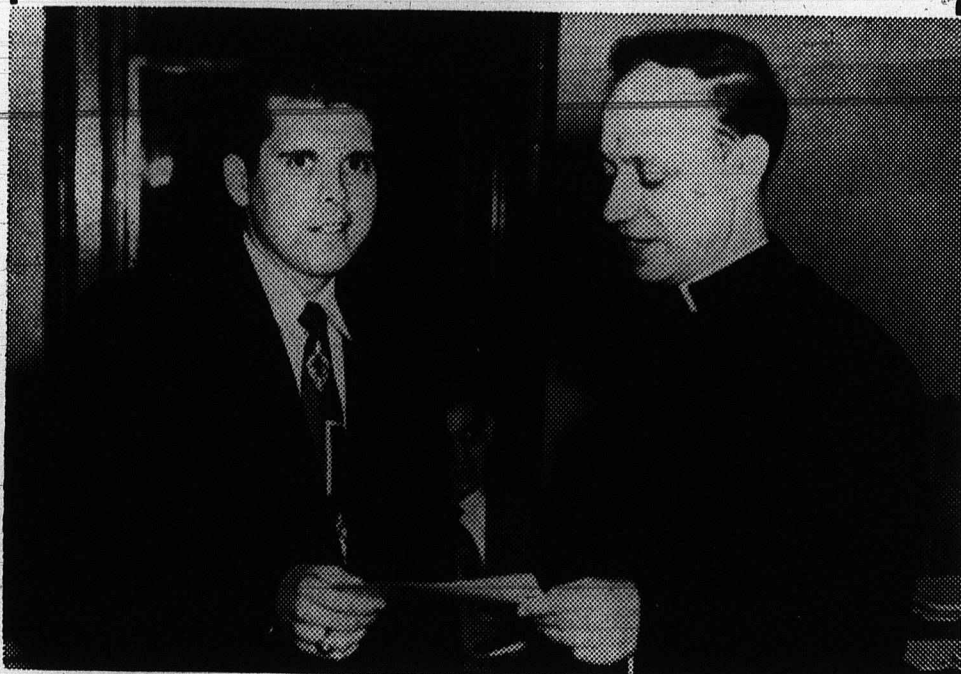
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MONEY IN THE BANK



That grin on Student Council treasurer Pat O'Neill's face wasn't all for the cameraman as the Rev. Joseph A. Otte, treasurer of the college, presented him with a \$2,000 check for this semester's Student Council fee, paid by the students.

Council Calls First Convocation Of Student Union for March 20

The Student Council at its regular meeting March 5 decided to call the first convocation of the Student Union for the evening of Thursday, March 20. Other major resolutions of the Council included a decision to elect a new vice president for the group and an appropriation of \$100 as a loan to the Junior class for Prom expenses.

The first items of business at the meeting were two reports by president Phil Gilbert concerning the possibility of replacing the faulty television set in the recreation hall and the question of providing a blood donor program on campus.

Sets to be Appraised

Gilbert stated that a nearby dealer would be able to install a number of sets at the rec hall for appraisal by the Council in the near future. He announced also that the Red Cross would send a mobile bloodbank unit to the Rensselaer area sometime in the early spring.

In discussing the program for the convocation it was decided to take the opportunity to explain student government under the new constitution. The Council will answer any student questions on the constitution. The program will also present proposed constitutional amendments and describe the method of electing next year's officers of the Student Union during the second week of April.

Special Meeting Scheduled

Vladimir Pregelj, chairman of the constitutional committee, was directed to carry out a resolution which called for the presentation and distribution, in conjunction with the convocation, of an outline illustrating the implications of a Student Union. President Gilbert then scheduled a special meeting for March 13 to settle details and to hear reports from the constitutional and the election committees.

A method proposed by Bob Hummel for the April elections featured the discussion on the topic, before the election committee was charged with working out the system to be followed. The consensus of opinion was that the office of president of the Union ought to be restricted to a senior.

Candidate Chosen

In the absence of constitutional provision for replacing officers, the Council resolved to elect a new vice president to fill the vacancy

Billiard Artist Appears in Rec

By DICK FINNEGAN

Clarence E. Anderson, trick-shot artist of the Billiard Congress of America, will appear in the rec hall March 21 at 4:30 to exhibit some of his trick shots and to explain the fundamental points of the game.

Succeeds Peterson

Mr. Anderson is taking on the missionary duties of the recently-retired Charlie Peterson. To date, Mr. Anderson has borne well the responsibility of continuing in the footsteps of his predecessor.

Before turning to pocket billiards, Mr. Anderson had aspirations of becoming a big league ball player. He had all the skill and agility necessary for making the grade, but subsequent events made him change his mind.

Has 250 Tricks

Not liking competitive billiards, he started teaching the game. The collection of trick shots he has added to break the monotony of continuous instruction now numbers about 250. During his appearance here Mr. Anderson will also give instructions on the game.

left when Gilbert succeeded to the presidency of the group. Don Hathaway, Lou White, and Frank Ryan were nominated from the Inter-Club Committee as possible candidates. The election is set for the next meeting.

The remainder of the agenda concerned the loan to the juniors, a measure to procure chess and checker sets for the recreation hall, and a resolution to ask the college administration for single cuts for classes held March 8. All were voted through.

Local Programs Prepare Chorus For April Tour

By JOHN GOOD

With an extensive schedule ahead of it next month, the Glee Club has been spending considerable time recently in presenting programs locally and preparing for its many April appearances.

Feb. 12, the group sang at Goodland, Ind., for the annual Firemen's Banquet, and a program was given in Rensselaer March 4 for the Production Credit Association. Both appearances featured songs by the Club and the imitations of Ron Favorite.

Sing at Kankakee

Next month's billings will begin with a Knights of Columbus benefit in Kankakee, Ill., April 4, and will conclude with the annual Spring Concert with the chorus from St. Francis College at Joliet April 30.

In between, the Club will appear at functions in three states. The Chicago Mothers' Club will be entertained in Chicago April 19 at its annual card party. The next day, the St. Francis Glee Club, the Hammond Extension Chorus, and the College Concert Chorus will join in the first presentation of the Spring Concert in the College Theatre.

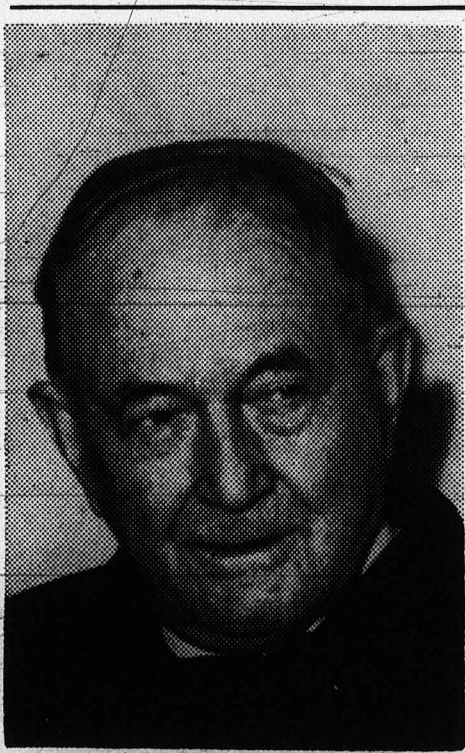
On Two-State Tour

April 27 and 28, the group will be on tour throughout Ohio and

Father Daniel Celebrates 50th Year of Ordination

By ALEX LAZUR

The first student to enroll in St. Joseph's returns next week to celebrate the golden jubilee of his ordination. The Rev. Christian Daniel, C.P.P.S., '96, will observe both his 80th birthday and 50th anniversary as a priest March 19.



Father Chris Daniel, first St. Joe student, now celebrating the golden jubilee of his ordination.

Indiana, visiting Wapakoneta and Celina in Ohio and Fort Wayne and Decatur in the Hoosier state.

Tentative plans call for a program here May 4 for Parents' Day and May 10 at Prom time.

Present pastor of St. Joseph's Church, Pulaski, Ind., Father Daniel will celebrate the actual jubilee date, March 14, there with a Solemn Mass, Father Gilbert Esser preaching the sermon. On the 19th, Father Alexius Schuette of the Precious Blood Mission Band, who was a student here and heard Father Daniel's sermon back in 1902, will be the speaker at Father Daniel's Solemn High Mass here at 11 A. M.

Dinner Scheduled

At 1 P. M. that same day, Father Fred Fehrenbacher will be toastmaster at a dinner in honor of Father Daniel. Present, in addition to diocesan priests and faculty personnel, will be friends from this vicinity and Sedalia, Mo., and friends and relatives from his home territory around Seneca County, Ohio.

Born in Reed, Seneca County, March 19, 1872, Father Daniel worked on the family farm before going to study for the priesthood. After a few weeks' stay at the seminary in Carthage, Ohio, Father Daniel was sent to teach at the newly-established Indian School, now Drexel Hall.

While there, he helped in the construction of the first building on the campus, the present Administration Building, and when the doors of the college first opened in Sept., 1891, Father Chris was the first to register.

Assigned to Sedalia

After completing his requirements here and at St. Charles Seminary, he was ordained at the latter place March 14, 1902. His first assignment was to Sacred Heart Church, Sedalia, Mo., where he also served the missions and stations in four Ozark region counties. Eight years later, he was transferred to St. Augustine's, Rensselaer, where he stayed for ten more years.

Reassigned to Sedalia as pastor in 1920, Father Daniel stayed there for 20 more years before going to his present pastorate in October 1940.

Film Topics Discussed In Talk by Wm. Mooring

William H. Mooring, noted movie critic, spoke to the entire student body on the Christopher movement in Hollywood, Feb. 28 in the College Theatre. In his informal way, he gave many tips on motion-picture production, showing the various photographic tricks used in filming. He mentioned the present influence of communism on the motion picture industry and the action being taken by the Christophers to cope with the problem. After his talk was concluded, he gave more examples and details to those who wished to remain.

Columbian Players Enlist Services Of Chicago Graduate for Set Design

By JIM PLATE

Mr. Joseph Condic, of Chicago, has volunteered his assistance to the Columbian Players' forthcoming production, "Othello." Mr. Condic has consented to help in the set designing and stage management, two fields in which he has had valuable technical experience.

A 1949 graduate of St. Joe and a veteran of the Collegeville stage, Mr. Condic recalls his performances in "The Late Christopher Bean" and "On Borrowed Time." He is self-employed in Chicago and will spend the week ends at St. Joe working on the set.

Impressionistic Set

Along with Mr. Cappuccilli and Joe Konkell, Mr. Condic has completed the set design, a stylized, impressionistic type. Work commenced on it March 1. Assisting on the construction of the set itself will be the entire Columbian Players organization.

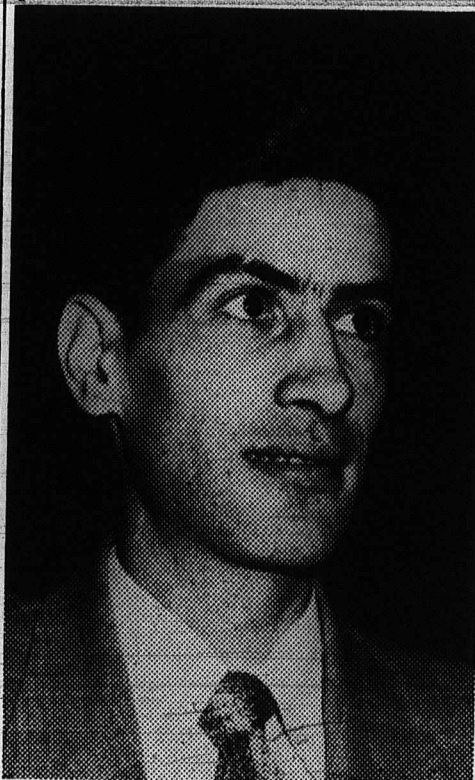
Veteran Donald Clark, in charge of lighting effects, has proved his worthiness at the switch throughout his three and one half years as a CP. In "Othello" there is a strict demand for definite and technical work on the klieg, presenting a challenge to any lighting director.

McAvoy and Good on Music

The musical background, which will also play an important part in the play, is to be guided by Hugh McAvoy and John Good. Selections from Tchaikovsky, Rimsky-Korsakoff, Sibelius, and Berlioz will be presented. Publicity has been placed in the hands of Rudy Volz.

Jim Plate will handle the make-up chores, with the assistance of

SETS SCENE



Much of the stage designing for the May CP play, "Othello," will be in the hands of Mr. Joseph Condic, '49.

Dick Kotheimer and Emerson Strace. As in any Shakespearean production, this will be an important part of the production.

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TWO SUGGESTIONS

Among the more or less unpleasant aspects of St. Joe student life are those little visits, by invitation, to the office of the Dean of Men. The unpleasantness does not stem from any personal feeling against Father Koller, but rather from several external factors bearing on the visit.

First of all, the invitation usually comes on a small form which implies that "you have done something wrong, you naughty boy, and will you please see me after lunch? Signed, Father Koller." In many cases the culprit is ignorant of his offense and the fact that no crime is mentioned tends to create in his mind all sorts of horrible misdeeds for which he may have been brought on the carpet. The anonymity of the deed does not give the student a chance to prepare for his fate—whether it be a fine, a campus, or merely an explanation of a forgivable absence from his room. So, our first suggestion is that the offense be named on the slip of paper, unless the Dean think it wise not to do so.

Secondly, may we suggest the appointment of some sort of an assistant to handle routine cases? The number standing in line in Father Koller's office and down the hall some noontimes can be amazingly large. Whether the students have taken a sudden turn toward wickedness, or whether the prefects have decided to be a little more diligent, the number sometimes reaches as high as 30 or 40 standees.

The long line has many disadvantages. It slows down the whole process, stops those who have afternoon classes from seeing Father Koller, and, also, can create quite a lot of noise and confusion while it waits. Both Father Koller and those in line on routine matters could use a means for dispatching the multitude quickly. No one wants to wait 25 or 30 minutes merely to find out that he has been listed for missing bed check when he has a valid excuse for it, nor does anyone want to undergo the experience of the two roommates who recently stood in line for 45 minutes to see the Dean only to find that they had left a light burning one night and were to be fined 12½ cents apiece. It is ridiculous.

Of course, there are indisputably some matters—not signing out, drinking, etc.—which should properly be handled by the Dean of Men personally, but we think that much of the confusion and waste of time could be avoided by the simple expedient of providing some means of speeding up routine cases.—BTA.

THE END AND THE MEANS

There are many ways of obtaining an objective. There are roundabout ways, in which the person desiring to get across his wishes does it subtly, by clever means; and there are straightforward ways, which may be compared to hitting someone with a sledge hammer. A recent example can best illustrate the latter method.

St. Joe's basketball team was in a slump. Their final home game was coming round and neither the student body nor the athletes showed any inclination to bring the team out of its rut. Something obviously was needed to perk everyone up. It came in the form of a notice written by a prominent senior, stating that a special pep rally would be held the afternoon of the game. This wasn't too bad; unfortunately the writer chose to embellish the document with several ill-chosen words, in order to jolt the student body. They were jolted, all right—so was the writer.

Arousing student enthusiasm was a grand thing. Admittedly, it was what was needed. But arousing it in the manner and method employed by this senior was exceedingly badly negotiated and ill-timed. Results could have been obtained without the vulgarity used. It accomplished nothing, brought only woe to its author, and caused his pep rally to be laughed at when it was discovered that the rally had not been sanctioned by anyone in authority at all.

It was bad enough that such language was used, but it had to be on Sunday—a day when many visitors and parents were present. It is hardly conducive to promoting better relations and increasing school prestige.

The odd thing about this is that the same thing was tried by the same person on a Sunday only one year ago. It produced the same results.

Initiative and school spirit are both fine things. But when they oppose faculty jurisdiction and the standard codes of social life, they fail in accomplishing their objective and negate the higher good.

Joe Puma Returns To Outwit Prof In Thrilling Battle

NOTE: The national hero of the St. Joe campus for the last few years has been Joe Puma. This popular figure has cavorted through many an issue of STUFF, along with his roommate, Dave, and his prefect-instructor, Prof. Rollerskates. Although the creator of the series is now graduated, we thought that some of the freshmen would like just a sampling of these tales. So here, for your pleasure, is an absolutely new, never-before-published tale of the doings of Joe Puma and friends.

Joe Puma groaned disconsolately as the alarm rang the daily morning summons. Having nothing within reach to throw, he was forced to shut the infernal machine off by manual labor, an effort that left him exhausted. After five minutes of reverie, one eye betrayed him and opened, then the second also turned traitor and did the same. It was too late now. Joe Puma was awake.

As he arose, a cold blast of air from his unclosed window froze him to the core. Mumbling something about leaving windows open after crawling through them the night before, he twisted the radiator cap to full steam ahead, heard the pipe rattle and clank vigorously, then turned to his still-somnolent partner, Dave.

"Awake, fair one," quoth our hero in the mildest of voices; "awake to the song of the bird, the still rustle of the lush grass, the . . ."

Dave eyed him with one cold, blue eye. "You're drunk." "Yes," came the reply, "I'm drunk with the intoxicating perfume of Mother Nature. Isn't it gorgeous?"

Dave sniffed loudly for several seconds, remarked that he couldn't smell anything, and snored himself to sleep.

Joe Puma, wide awake now and fully clothed, glanced at his Bulova. It was 10 to eight. He had an 8:00 class. Just enough time for a hearty breakfast. Leaving Dave to his dream-maidens, Joe hopped into his '22 Shrimphoat Eight and zoomed along at a 2½ mph clip to the cafeteria. A quick meal, some fast running, and a beautiful hook slide brought him into Prof. Rollerskates' Dehumanized Literature class only five minutes late.

"You're early." The prof gave him a withering look.

"Couldn't help it," came the reply. "The alarm went off."

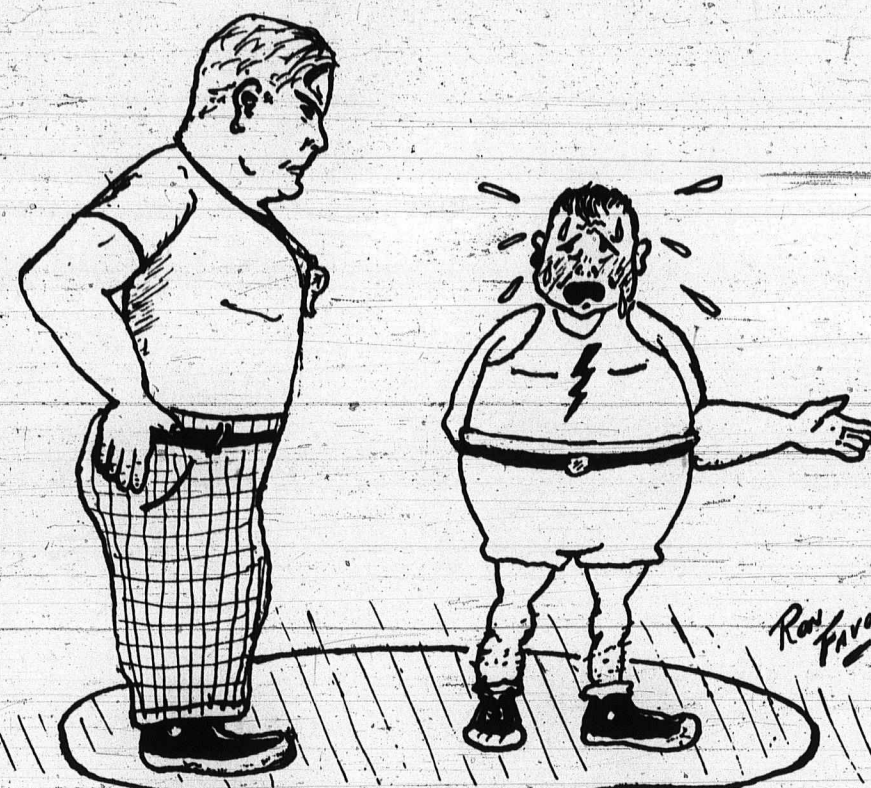
Prof. Rollerskates sniffed. "Now if you were like me, this wouldn't have happened. I'm never late, you know." Yes, they knew—only too well. Never had the prof been as much as one minute late. He rather would have died; he said so himself.

Consequently, when the day came that the beloved instructor was missing, puzzlement was rampant, and bets were being given at 3-2 odds that he had died—probably from an unexpected softening of the heart or inflammation of the examination center.

As the minutes ticked by, the Dehumanized Lit class realized a new record was being set; Prof. Rollerskates was missing some precious seconds of class time. At 8:09, someone remarked, "I guess he isn't coming." At 8:09½, the students made ready to leave. At 8:09:59, Prof. Rollerskates made a leaping half gainer into the room. He had saved the day; class would be held as usual.

Icy stares met him as he placed his books on the desk; dank thoughts lurked in the hearts of these simple students. The professor chose to ignore them and explained nonchalantly, "Sorry I'm late . . . the alarm didn't go off."

Shocked expressions told the inner feelings of the group. His alarm didn't go off! How dare it! Even now the machine must be on (Turn to Page Four)



"But, Mr. Beane, I'm not in shape to keep fit!"

SHAVINGS

By ED BYRNE

A NEW COLUMN, succeeding the well-known feature which Mr. Pavalko so efficiently handled. And, as I write these first lines, I can still see the look on George Riggs' face as he watched a senior handing the space to a freshman. I realize the difficulties—but "fools rush in . . ."

THE MATTER OF A TITLE was quite a problem. CHAMPAGNE is good, but CHAMPAGNE is Frank's, and it already led a full life. So to the title . . . After all the alcohol that has been poured into this column, I thought maybe TUMS would be appropriate. But, then, as Tom Suess suggested, why not just suffer in bliss and call it HANG-OVER? Thus I was confused. Suggestions kept coming in, until at last my own roommate, Jim Gordon, lit the final light. This college is dedicated to St. Joseph . . . and St. Joseph was a carpenter. Can't you just picture him sweeping up his shop . . . sweeping up the SHAVINGS?

WILLIAM MOORING, who recently brought us into the inner sanctum of Hollywood, attributes his conversion to Catholicism to the prayers of actress Una O'Connor. But he had been interested in the Church since a day many years before, in the little English village where he grew up. A member of the town's only Catholic family had died, and little William was entranced by the dramatic interest in the funeral procession. When all was over, he ran home and told his mother that the Catholics expected their departed brother to arise again that night. "I saw one dressed in black and white," he panted. "He was swinging a steaming pot of food back and fourth to cool it for him!" "No, son," his mother laughed. "That was just more Catholic nonsense and incense."

CONGRATULATIONS to Frank Birkmeyer, who was not killed a few weeks ago. He and Ken Surowicz were firing their trusty muskets one day in the woods near the campus. A live shell dropped into their bonfire, and Ken scurried after it. But it went off—in Frank's direction . . . For some time a minor wound on his forehead indicated where the bullet had grazed him!

DUST IN THE CORNER: Joel Francouer boasting the new title, treasurer of the freshman class . . . Father Burns waging a private war against moles on the Seifert lawn . . . Joe Frawley explaining the law of diminishing returns to Mr. Strong . . . Bill Woody, contemplating marriage in June? . . . Earl Mayer having trouble putting Latin poetry on the board . . . Tom Saxelby and Joe Pindell contributing to the delinquency of Jim Plate's parakeet . . . Mr. Ruble's (Continued on Page Four)

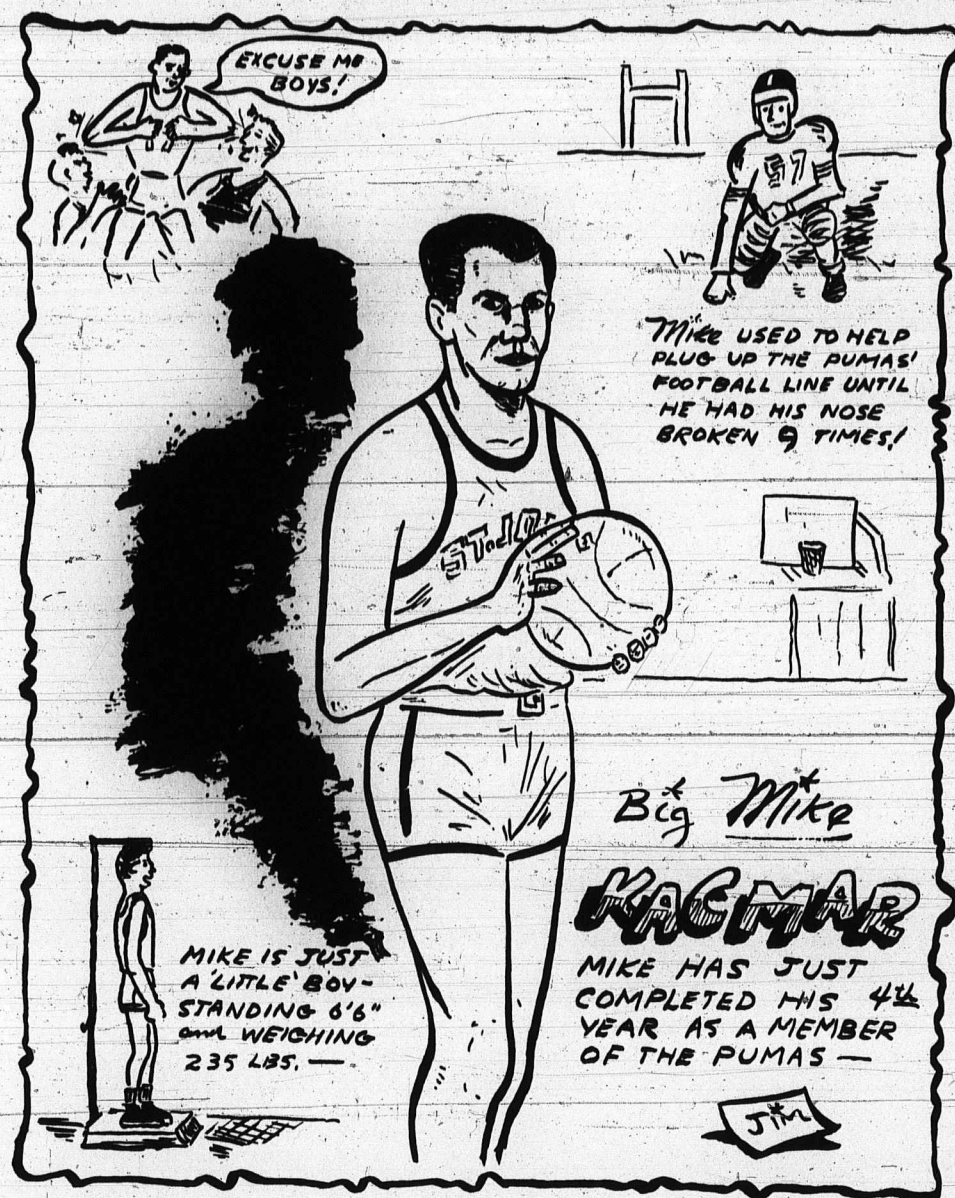
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Extramural Meet Scheduled Saturday



Crusaders Drop Pumas In Finale

Valparaiso's Crusaders jumped off to a 22-8 lead at the end of the first quarter and went on to score a 75-61 triumph March 6 at Valpo. The game was rough, with a total of 59 fouls being called.

The win gave Valpo a second-place tie with Indiana State in the Indiana Collegiate Conference, leaving the Pumas in fourth place with a record of four wins and six losses. St. Joe closed its season with 11 wins and 12 losses.

Pumas Cold

The Pumas could do little in the first period as they hit only three fielders and two of eight free throws. Meanwhile, the Crusaders, starting the five senior members of their squad, threatened to turn the game into a rout as Ned Knappe threw in eight points and Willie Doehrmann six.

The second quarter was much the same even though Valpo cooled off somewhat. The Pumas could hit from the field only six times during the first 20 minutes and left the floor on the short end of a 36-18 score.

Throw Scare into Crusaders

St. Joe finally came to life in the third quarter as Jack Dwyer and Dick Soich hit three baskets apiece. But the Crusaders continued to pour them through and found themselves ahead, 58-38, as they headed into the final ten minutes. The Pumas really began to get hot as they netted 12 points, five by Mike Kacmar, while holding their opponents to a lone basket and, with four minutes remaining, trailed 60-50. At this juncture, Valpo took over and held off for the 75-61 win.

High point man for St. Joe was Dwyer with 15 followed by Kacmar with 12. Don Spitz and Willie Doehrmann scored 16 and 14 points respectively for the Crusaders.

Valparaiso (75)	B	F	P
Doehrmann, f	6	2	2
Howard, f	0	1	2
Plinke, f	2	3	4
Knappe, f	3	3	3
Madrick, f	4	0	0
Jarms, c	1	2	5
Spitz, c	5	6	4
Bielke, c	2	3	3
Moore, g	0	0	1
Berning, g	2	0	1
Allen, g	0	1	3
Domroese, g	2	0	2

Totals	27	21	30
St. Joseph's (61)	B	F	P
Dwyer, f	6	3	5
Meyer, f	1	2	5
Kacmar, f-c	5	2	4
Pilat, f	1	2	3
Merki, c	1	4	3
Soich, g	3	0	5
Drake, g	1	1	0
Kellogg, g	2	1	3
Reutebuch, g	2	0	1
Schultheis, g	1	0	0

Totals 23 15 29

Final Standings

Midlands Conference			
St. Ambrose	6	2	.750
St. Norbert's	6	2	.750
St. Joseph's	5	3	.625
Loras	2	6	.250
Lewis	1	7	.125

Indiana Collegiate Conference			
Butler	8	2	.800
Indiana State	6	4	.600
Valparaiso	6	4	.600
St. Joseph's	4	6	.400
Ball State	3	7	.300
Evansville	3	7	.300

Ambrose Host to Intramuralists As Pumas Try for First Crown

Failing to cop anything resembling a championship in the Midlands Conference so far this year, St. Joe fans turn their eyes and hopes this Saturday to the intramural brackets as the fifth annual Midlands Conference Extramural Meet is scheduled for St. Ambrose over the weekend.

Red-Hot Knights Capture 88-69 Win

A St. Norbert team that just could not miss handed the Pumas their fifth straight defeat on the Knights' floor March 1, 88-69. St. Joe has been victory-less at West DePere since 1947.

Led by Chuck Holton, who dropped in 23 points, ten in the first quarter, the Green Knights hit 19 out of 24 first-half shots from the field, and left the court with a 48-29 advantage. The first period score was 25-17.

In the second half, the teams battled on even terms, both scoring 22 in the third period and 18 points in the final stanza. Jack Dwyer and Don Merki blazed the way for the Pumas, Dwyer connecting for 11 markers in the last 20 minutes and "Merk" scoring 10 in the third period alone, before fouling out.

In the all-over picture, Dwyer hit for 18 and Merki for 13 points. Butch Reutebuch and Chet Pilat followed with nine apiece. Holton's 23 was trailed by Art Biesenthal, who had 18, and Frank Pirman, who scored 12.

Box score:

St. Norbert's (88)	B	F	P
Hoerning, f	0	0	4
Holton, f	8	7	1
Hellem, f	3	0	5
Bugalski, c	3	4	3
Smithwick, c	0	2	0
Creten, c	3	2	3
Biesenthal, g	8	2	2
Ritchay, g	4	0	2
Pirman, g	4	4	5
Karner, g	0	1	2

St. Joseph's (69)	B	F	P
Dwyer, f	5	8	4
Meyer, f	1	1	2
Pilat, f	4	1	5
Kacmar, c	0	2	4
Merki, c	5	3	5
Boff, c	1	0	0
Soich, g	2	0	4
Drake, g	1	2	2
Kellogg, g	2	1	5
Reutebuch, g	4	1	0

Totals 25 19 31

It is the old story of always a bridesmaid . . . The Pumas have finished second in three out of the four previous meets and third in the other, but no Puma team has ever taken the championship. Loras has won it three times running after Ambrose had snared the first meet.

Last year, the Pumas were second to Loras as the St. Joe men took the bowling honors and were second in ping pong doubles. The basketball, volleyball, and ping pong singlists lost out in the very first round of play.

This year's chances look bright. The doubles champs of 1951 have won the title again and Chet Tokarz could be a real threat in the singles. Bowling, basketball, and volleyball, too, should pile up the points. Come Saturday, we'll know for sure.

St. Joe Downs Lewis Flyers

Jack Dwyer's ten points in the third quarter enabled the Pumas to come from behind and go on to defeat the Lewis Flyers, 51-49, Feb. 28, at Lockport.

After being on the short end of a 12-9 first-period score and a 23-22 half-time count, Dwyer and Dick Soich combined efforts to give St. Joe a margin of 41-40, with ten minutes remaining.

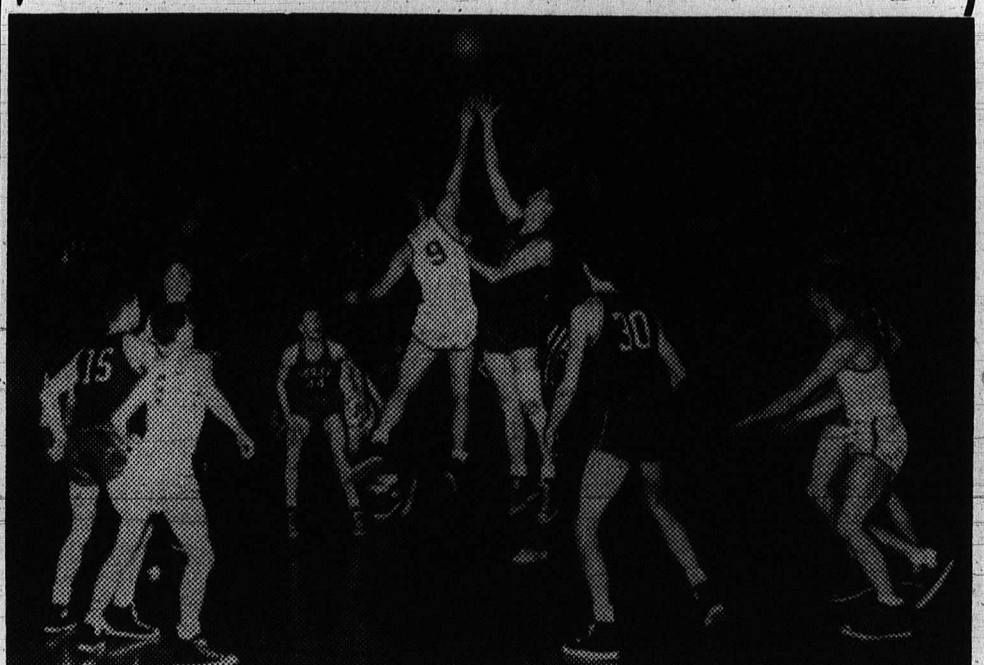
In the final period, Lewis tied the score at 46 and then moved into a 49-47 lead. The Pumas scored again to knot the count and then Chet Pilat dumped in the winning marker with 90 seconds left. St. Joe stalled for the remaining time.

St. Joe (51)	B	F	P
Dwyer, f	6	0	4
Pilat, f	2	1	3
Kacmar, f	2	1	2
Meyer, f	0	0	1
Merki, c	4	3	3
Boff, c	1	1	0
Drake, g	1	0	1
Kellogg, g	2	0	3
Soich, g	3	1	2
Schultheis, g	1	0	1

Totals	22	7	20
Lewis (49)	B	F	P
Hanrahan, f	3	3	3
Drella, f	4	6	4
Callahan, c	3	6	3
Klug, c	0	0	2
Azman, g	2	1	3
Carey, g	4	1	4
Chupka, g	0	0	1

Totals 16 17 20

BUTLER BLUES



Ed Schultheis, Puma guard, leaps high for a jump ball in his final home game in a St. Joe uniform. Even his efforts failed to halt Butler as the ICC champs took a 60-54 win.

INTRAMURALS

The Pumas intramural squad will leave Collegeville Friday for St. Ambrose at Davenport, Iowa, to compete in the extramural meet to be held there Saturday. The squad is made up of the winners of the tournaments held here at St. Joe. Included in the list of champions are winning teams from the bowling, basketball, and volleyball competition, along with champions of the singles and doubles tournaments in ping pong.

Edging out the Shooting Stars in a tight contest for the championship crown of the basketball court, George Smolar and his Basketeers earned the right to represent St. Joe at the Ambrose matches. Since they concluded intramural play, the Basketeers have conducted a small scale barnstorming session, playing a few outside teams in preparation for the Davenport trip.

Making the trip with the Basketeers are George Smolar, Ted Ashburner, Norb Hummel, Paul Wirtz, Tom Schnieders, Paul Steigmeyer, Jack Kintz, and Bill Lamb.

Chet Tokarz grabbed the title in the singles competition of the ping pong tourney. It took a 23-21 score to beat Steve Oleszkiewicz in the final match of a five game series. Reid Mackin and Jim Drake had a comparatively easy time in copping the doubles championship. Reid and Jim downed Gene Ziemba and Bill Kun in the final match.

With the help of a 589 series from Frank Krisch and a high 202 game from Al Gallo, Ron Hospodka's Spares claimed a spot in the traveling roster by pulling a victory in the bowling playoffs last Friday. Don Schubert, Tom Paonessa, and Bob Johnson will make the trip along with Krisch, Gallo, and Hospodka.

At the time of this writing, the Spikers, with four wins and no losses, look like sure winners in the volleyball competition. The last games of the tournament were to be played Monday and Tuesday. Included on the Spikers team: Bill Ferguson, Bill Elbert, Jim Culinan, Tom Saxelby, Bob Wasni, Joe Pindell, Jerry Wenzel, and Ed Swanson.

Ron Hospodka, Archie Fredeman, Jack Corbett, Bob Michalski, and Lou White traveled to Valparaiso Sunday in an attempt to raise St. Joe's standing in the Midwest Inter-collegiate Bowling Conference. The bowlers remain in

the cellar after taking a pounding from DePaul here in their last match. Valparaiso leads the league with a record of fourteen wins and six losses.

Xavier Cagers Suspend Action

Xavier basketball play has been temporarily delayed by the intramural volleyball season. With more games scheduled, it is doubtful that the second round can be completed before early April. Unless further arrangements are made, the season may have to be concluded.

At the present time, the Mice-keteers, champions in the first round, have a 3-0 first-place lead. They are closely followed by Tom Bir's fast-rising Rippers and Joe Cain's Slickers, each with a 2-1 record. The other teams have seen little improvement in this second half.

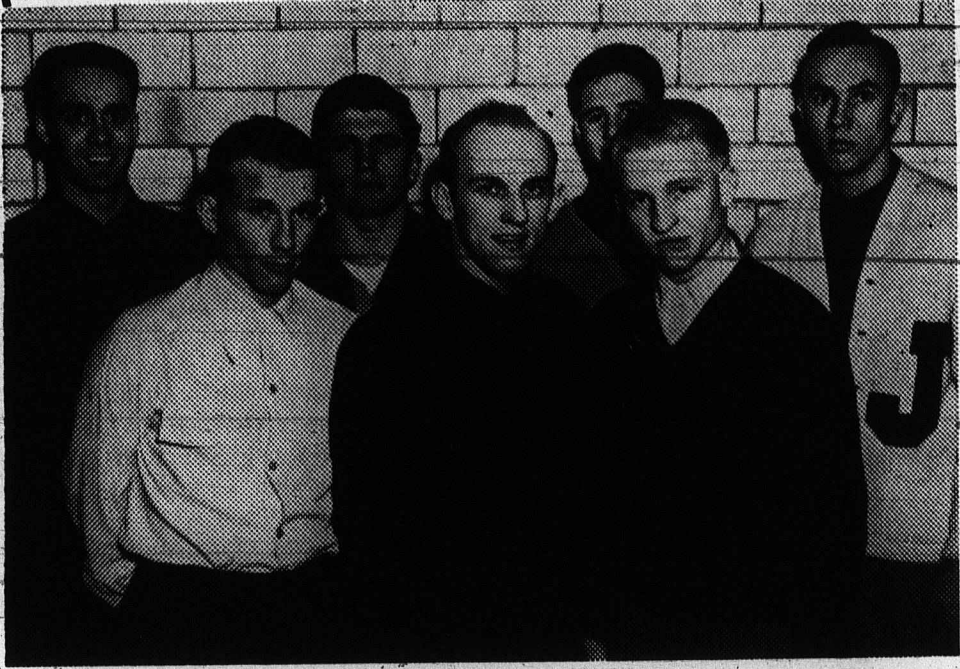
The Rex McCoys, a new entry in the league, have had little luck during their few games. Featuring Ronny Barrans and Ray Bauer, the McCoys have been humbled by scores of 40-49, 28-51, 27-83, and 25-50. However, they have supplied variety and new interest for the Xavier loop.

During the current basketball lull, baseball enthusiasts have been planning to improve the hard ball diamond. A higher pitching mound and a cage-effect screen are two projects receiving immediate attention.

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SHAVINGS

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eloquent plea for observation of rules in Lower East Seifert, followed by at least two parodies and a threatening notice . . . Bill Bassett and Joe Walinchus determining the essence of a vacuum . . . Norb Hummel, Ed Schultheis, and Jack Keating driven from their room in Drexel by the overwhelming aroma of wellbaked limberger cheese . . . Two lads regularly saving steps to the cafeteria by exiting through their window on the south side of Lower West Seifert . . . Gregory Yuen philosophizing over in Science Hall . . . The freshman class planning to attend Mass in a body twice a week . . . Mr. Cappuccilli seen taking measurements for a new cyclorama; also, considering appearance in summer stock; also, scheduled to be at St. Xavier's in Chicago today to cast the remaining female roles for Othello . . . and, finally, the Glee Club making plans for new risers.

It's still Lent, boys,—and daily Mass is still as good an idea as it was those first few days!

That's all for the first one . . . but, remember, I don't make the news; I just put it on paper. So let me hear from you.

Othello

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tant factor. Plate has had previous experience at Missouri Valley College and his assistants are also familiar with make-up problems.

Volunteers Welcome

Since the set construction work is extensive and will require much work, opportunities to assist in this are still open to any volunteers who might be interested.

Positions as property men are also available to anyone who would like to gain experience in this field. Volunteers need not be members of the Columbian Players.

Joe Puma

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its way to a rusty grave—fit punishment for such an audacious deed.

"It seems I forgot to set it after I came in late last night." This was mumbled in accompaniment to the production of a 150-page syllabus from a gaping briefcase.

This was startling news. Prof. Rollerskates, who had never drunk anything stronger than warm milk, coming in after hours! Apparently this did not affect his conduct of the class. Things proceeded as usual and the usual 5,000-word theme, due the next class, was assigned.

After the period was over, the chief subject of conversation was Prof. Rollerskates and where he possibly had been the night before. Not content with mere talk, Joe followed his nose for news straight to the local kegling institution and put a few discreet questions to one of the help.

"Why, yes, Mr. Rollerskates was here last night. He had a root beer milkshake and stayed until 12:15." A root beer milk-

shake!, Joe thought. To what depths had the man descended? Thanking his informer profusely, he left the building on a pink cloud, with the wheels in his mind clicking merrily away.

Came two days later. Joe lazily got up at 8:07, lazily dressed during the next ten minutes, and just as lazily proceeded to breakfast, from which he plodded lazily to Dehumanized Lit, not even bothering to make his hook slide. It was 8:32.

The prof turned to the entree and checked his safety valves preparatory to blowing his top. The rest of the class quivered at their desks. Never had Joe Puma been so late; never had Prof. Rollerskates looked so mad. They were awaiting the explosion. It came.

After a minute of castigation, the prof stopped for breath. Joe Puma smiled and murmured significantly, "Root beer milkshake." A look of shocked amazement crept over the instructor's countenance; he gasped audibly. How had Joe Puma found out about this, his one sordid slip in 25 years as a prefect? He turned humbly to his chalk and blackboard as Joe Puma carelessly seated himself.

Joe Puma was criticized no more for being late to a Dehumanized Lit class. No one could understand it and Joe kept the Tale of the Root Beer Milkshake securely to himself.

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Religious Head 'Evening in Paris' Theme Calls 40 Hours Very Successful

By JOHN HENTSCHEL

Students, faculty, sisters, and all associated with St. Joe who contributed to the success of the Forty Hours Devotion, Feb. 29-March 2, are to be complimented for their endeavors, the Rev. Charles Herber, religious director, said.

At all times during the devotion—at Mass, during adoration periods, and at evening services—there was a very respectable number in the chapel, he added.

Changes Made

The number of Communions was especially encouraging, with approximately 800 distributed over the three days, 240 at the opening Mass alone, Father Herber said.

There were considerable changes from last year in the schedule. Previously, the morning Masses were offered at six o'clock and there was no procession with the Blessed Sacrament. This year the procession was inserted in the schedule and the opening Masses moved to 6:45 to increase attendance. Likewise, the closing of the devotion was changed from 7:00 P. M. to 9:30 A. M. on Sunday.

Students Show Interest

Father Herber also remarked that the reaction to these changes shows that the students will respond favorably if the schedule is arranged so as not to interfere with class schedules or recreational opportunities.

With this year's attendance increase as an example, Father Herber said new changes are being considered for next year, with the closing possibly being at a 10:30 Mass. He added that he will welcome student opinions on the subject.

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Bulldogs Nip Pumas

It was too much Keith Greve and not enough Don Merki Feb. 25, as the Pumas dropped a 60-54 decision to Butler's ICC champions in the fieldhouse.

Greve, the Bulldogs' freshman forward, scored 22 points, 18 on baskets, to help Butler snatch the contest from the fighting Pumas, led by St. Joe's own freshman, Don Merki, and his 17 markers.

The first half saw a nip-and-tuck battle all the way, with Butler leading, 33-28, after a mere 13-12 quarter margin. In the third period, though, Mike Kacmar's free throw and Merki's bucket gave St. Joe a 42-40 edge. The lead changed hands three more times before the Bulldogs emerged with a 45-44 margin at the buzzer.

After Chet Pilat tied things up at 50-all with a one-pointer midway in the last period, Butler unleashed an attack that netted eight straight points and sewed up the contest.

Merki led the Scharfmen in the point column and was followed by Jack Dwyer, who scored nine. Greve's 22 and guard John Crosley's 15 were high for Butler.

The French capital will furnish the background for this year's affair, according to the latest word from the Prom Committee. This "Evening in Paris" motif will be carried out in the fieldhouse with sidewalk cafes, cabarets, and other Parisian sights scattered throughout the building.

Hayride Precedes

The dance will be preceded by a hayride the night before, a baseball double-header Saturday afternoon, and possibly an ICC tennis tournament during the day.

Ten chairmen, including junior president Don Nowicki, have been chosen by the class. Head of the Prom committee is Ken Zawodny, who will also make arrangements to procure the orchestra.

O'Rourke on Decorations

Tom (Oxie) O'Rourke heads the decorations committee, with Jack Riebert as accommodations chairman and Roland Meinert in charge of refreshments.

Flowers and tuxes will be controlled by Bob Carney and Tom Van Acker respectively, while Bill Woody handles the bids. Bill Kun will line up the day's program and Tom Saxelby is publicity director. Tom Schnieders and George Riggs are in charge of finances.

FINAL STATISTICS

PLAYER	POSITION	G	FGA	FG	FTA	FT	PF	TP	AVG.
DWYER, f and c	---	23	254	92	167	77	90	261	11.3
PILAT, f	---	20	208	70	67	42	73	182	8.3
KELLOGG, g	---	23	295	70	40	23	58	163	7.1
MERKI, c	---	21	107	42	87	53	44	137	6.7
SOICH, g	---	23	226	58	36	16	66	132	5.7
BOFF, c	---	20	101	47	60	37	20	131	6.6
KACMAR, c and f	---	23	99	36	91	29	62	101	4.4
MEYER, f	---	23	93	34	35	19	34	87	3.8
DRAKE, g	---	18	66	17	40	23	23	57	3.2
SCHULTHEIS, f	---	19	59	18	16	6	18	42	2.2
REUTEBUCH, g	---	18	61	15	19	11	14	41	2.3
SCHROEDER, g	---	8	21	7	8	4	11	18	2.2
KUKOY, g	---	8	10	1	5	1	9	3	0.4
PASQUINI, g	---	4	1	0	0	0	2	0	0.0
GEHRING, f	---	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Others	---	---	113	38	35	21	48	97	---
OWN TOTALS	---	23	1716	545	706	362	572	1452	63.1
OPP. TOTALS	---	23	1684	588	628	384	598	1560	67.8

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